



CITY OF MOUNT VERNON

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MAY 2022 NEWSLETTER

2022 Mount Vernon Pool Information

Pool Pass Sign Up

Pool pass sign up will be offered on the following dates in the pool manager's office at the pool: (if you sign up for passes during one of these dates, you will receive a free gift from the pool).

May 5th - 4:00 to 6:00 pm
May 12th - 4:00 to 6:00 pm
May 14th - 1:30 to 3:30 pm
May 19th - 3:30 to 5:30 pm
May 21st - 1:00 to 4:00 pm
May 24th - 4:00 to 6:00 pm
May 29th - 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

May 10th - 3:00 to 5:00 pm
May 13th - 3:30 to 5:30 pm
May 15th - 9:00 to 11:00 am
May 20th - 4:00 to 6:00 pm
May 22nd - 1:00 to 3:00 pm
May 28th - 8:00 to 10:00 am

Zero Tolerance Policy

Using the Mount Vernon Pool is a privilege. All patrons are expected to adhere to all posted rules and instructions from pool staff, including the pool management, lifeguards and pool house employees. Mount Vernon City Pool Management reserves the right to administer appropriate measures to keep the pool a safe, family-friendly place all summer long. These measures may include, but are not limited to, requiring a patron to sit out for a period of time, pick up litter in the pool or Davis Park area, stay out of the pool area for a day, or longer. No refunds will be issued to any patron expelled from the pool, whether it be for a short period of time, or for the season.

Mount Vernon/Lisbon Unit of the League of Women Voters of Linn County Child Care Survey

The Mount Vernon-Lisbon League of Women Voters has been conducting a survey of families to learn more about the availability of childcare in our communities. If you are a part of a family with young children and have not previously completed the survey, we hope you will do that now using the information below. Please feel free to share this link with your network. The more surveys we receive the more information we will be able to share with the community. If you are a childcare provider, please look forward to more information about the provider survey. We plan to share the data from the survey with the community and encourage creative solutions. All data is confidential and will be used only in summary form. If you have questions or concerns, please contact us at mvlleague2021@gmail.com. Thank you - each family and provider survey that is completed will make the information we receive more meaningful. **You can access the Family Childcare Survey at the following link:** <https://forms.gle/PkJY7EzD5yFfELEi7>

*The 2021 Water Quality Report for Mount Vernon can be
viewed on the City website or at*

<http://iowaccr.org/Mount-Vernon>

Copies will not be mailed.

Pool Phone 319-895-9191
Pool Manager 319-551-4136

**Tentative Opening Date: Saturday,
May 28, 2022**

**Tentative Closing Date: Monday,
September 5, 2022**

OPEN SWIM

Weekdays

12:30pm - 5:00pm

6:30pm - 8:30pm

Weekends

Saturdays 12:30pm - 5:00pm

Sundays 1:00pm - 8:00pm

(Family Swim Every Sunday)

ADULT LAP SWIM (15 & Older)

Monday - Friday

5:45pm - 6:30pm

Saturday - Sunday

11:45am - 12:30pm

Kids lap swim will begin once swim team ends

WATER AEROBICS

Beginning June 2nd

Monday and Thursday

5:15pm - 6:00pm

Schedule times may vary slightly on nights with swim lessons

SPECIAL HOURS

May 28th (Memorial Day)

Lap Swim, 11:45am - 12:30pm

Open Swim, 12:30pm - 5:00pm

Closed 5:00pm, June 28th and July 14th for swim meets

July 4th

Lap Swim, 11:45am - 12:30pm

Open Swim, 12:30pm - 5:00pm

Heritage Days (July 7th & 8th)

Open Swim, 11:45am - 12:30pm

Open Swim, 12:30pm - 5:00pm

Lap Swim, 5:00pm - 5:30pm

Watch for THEME NIGHTS on June 12th, July 9th and August 7th; 5:30pm to 7:30pm-More info to come.

Movie nights will be June 17th, July 9th and August 19th from 9:00 to 11:00 pm.

2022 Pool Information Continued.....

Swimming Lessons

Session #1	May 30th - June 10th 5:05pm
Session #2	June 6th – June 17th 11:00am
Session #3	June 20th - July 1st A - 10:00am B - 11:00am
Session #4	July 11th - July 22nd A - 10:00am B - 11:00am
Session #5	July 18th – July 29th 5:05pm
Session #6	July 25th – August 5th A - 10:00am B - 11:00am

**45 minutes in length and for
children 6 yrs and up**

Tadpoles

Session #1	June 13th- June 17th 5:15pm
Session #2	June 20th - June 24th 5:15pm
Session #3	June 27th – Jul 1st 5:15pm
Session #4	July 11th – Jul 15th 5:15pm
Session #5	July 18th – Jul 22nd 12:00pm
Session #6	Aug 1st – Aug 5th 5:15pm

**30 Minutes in length and for ages
3-5 yrs**

Parent/Infant	June 20th - June 24th 6:00pm - 6:30pm July 18th - July 22nd 6:00pm - 6:30pm
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**For children 6 months to 3 yrs-one
parent must be in water with child
during this session**

Adult Lessons (14 & Older)	July 26th – Aug 11th Mon/Wed Evening 5:45pm - 6:30pm
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Saturday Lessons	May 28th - July 2nd 10:30am to 11:15am Group 10:30am to 11:00 am Tadpole (Make-up day will be July 16th if any lessons are missed)
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Prices

Daily Pass (All Ages)	\$6.00
Lap Swim	\$4.00
(Must repay if entering open swim)	

Mt. Vernon Residents — Must live within city limits

Season Pass	
Single	\$100
Double	\$130
Family	\$160
Babysitter/Nanny	\$50
Swimming Lessons	\$37
Tadpoles 3, 4 and 5 yr olds	\$28
Parent/Infant	\$28
Private Lessons	\$22
Semi-Private Lessons	\$27
Adult Lessons	\$28
Saturday Group Lessons	\$28

Non- Mt. Vernon Residents

Season Pass	
Single	\$115
Double	\$145
Family	\$185
Babysitter/Nanny	\$50
Swimming Lessons	\$42
Tadpoles 3, 4 and 5 yr olds	\$33
Parent/Infant	\$33
Private Lessons	\$22
Semi-Private Lessons	\$27
Adult Lessons	\$33
Saturday Group Lessons	\$33

Prices include sales tax

*** The Family Pool Pass can have two adults
and 4 children on it between the ages of 3 and
19. Additional children will be \$10 per child
for Mt. Vernon residents and \$15 per child for
Non Mt. Vernon residents.**

Pool Rental

Saturdays, 5:30pm to 7:30pm. Cost is \$250 for 2 hours (1st 50 people covered in price of rental). Each additional person will be an extra \$3. Must reserve 2 weeks in advance with pool manager.

Water Exercise

Monday and Thursday evenings, 5:15 pm to 6:00 pm, Prices are \$8 per session, \$60 for a 10 session punch pass or \$200 for a water exercise season pass.

Swim Team Information

Swim team sign up will be May 21st from 8:00 am to 12:00pm at the Lester Buresh Community Wellness Center. Residents \$72, Non-Residents \$77. **No lesson sign-up at this time.**

Triathlon

July 23rd. Times vary depending on age group.

Junior Lifeguard Class

August 8th – August 12th
7:00am to 1:30pm
Cost: \$55.00

Policies

Swim Pass Policy– Those purchasing and using a swim pass to enter the pool must present the pass to enter (or have a picture of the pass).

Pool Closing Policies

The Mount Vernon Pool may close for any of the following reasons:

- Low air temperature
- Low patron population
- Mechanical breakdown
- Inclement weather
- Schedule changes (such as home swim meets)
- In the event of threatening weather the pool will close.
- In order to open the pool for lap swim and open swim programs, it must be 68 degrees according to the local [weather.com](http://www.weather.com) site for Mount Vernon within one hour of opening for lap swim and open swim programs. If the temperature is not 68 degrees or other inclement weather exists (ex: heavy rain, high winds, hail) we reserve the right to close the facility.
- If we do not have more than 10 people swimming in the outdoor pool two hours after opening.
- If lightning is spotted the pool will close for 30 minutes, if lightning is spotted again the 30 minutes will start over.
- If the pool is closed for more than one hour due to lightening.
- If we have 10 or less swimmers in the water two hours before closing.
- If we have 6 or less swimmers in the water one hour before closing, we reserve the right to close the pool.

Age Requirements

*Every person entering the pool gates during open swim must pay or have a valid season pass.

*Children, age 5 and under, must be accompanied and constantly supervised by an adult within arm's length.

*Youths, ages 6-10, must be accompanied and supervised by an adult or a responsible person of at least 14 years of age. Anyone age 14 and older who is supervising a 6-10 year old must have a permission/emergency contact form filled out and returned to the swimming pool.

*Swim diapers must be worn at all times by those toddlers in the “diaper phase”. They will be available for purchase at the pool. Water shoes are recommended.